

B-3342 - B-3350
43-3 E. Hamburg St. (South side)
Baltimore, Md.
Private access

1839-1855

The entire south side of the unit block of E. Hamburg St. (except for 3-7 E. Hamburg St., west of Patapsco St.) is improved with groups of two and a half story, late Federal style brick houses built in the late 1830's and early 1840's by John S. Gittings and several other local carpenters to whom he sold lots. 3-7 E. Hamburg St. are two story, two bay wide gable-roofed brick houses built in the 1850's for working class tenants. They are quite similar to other two story houses lining Patapsco St. just to the south of these houses. A number of houses on this side of Hamburg St. are currently being renovated.

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

5-7 E. Hamburg St.

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

VICINITY OF

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

—DISTRICT

☒ BUILDING(S)

—STRUCTURE

—SITE

—OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

—PUBLIC

☒ PRIVATE

—BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

—IN PROCESS

—BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED

—UNOCCUPIED

—WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED

—YES: UNRESTRICTED

—NO

PRESENT USE

—AGRICULTURE

—COMMERCIAL

—EDUCATIONAL

—ENTERTAINMENT

—GOVERNMENT

—INDUSTRIAL

—MILITARY

—MUSEUM

—PARK

☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE

—RELIGIOUS

—SCIENTIFIC

—TRANSPORTATION

—OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Telephone #: 1-800-334-9240

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Records Office Room 601

STREET & NUMBER

Baltimore City Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

STATE

Maryland 21202

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

—FEDERAL —STATE —COUNTY —LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION

☐ EXCELLENT
☐ GOOD
☒ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED
☐ RUINS
☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☒ UNALTERED
☐ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This pair of two story brick houses with gable roofs was built in the 1840's by the same builder who built several similar houses extending south along Patapsco St., and the adjoining 3 E. Hamburg St.

The houses are two stories in height, about 12 1/2' wide, and occupy lots 35 1/2' deep. The houses are two rooms deep. 5 E. Hamburg St. has a one story high, two bay deep frame addition; 7 E. Hamburg St. has a full width, second story, one bay deep frame addition that projects out over the rear yard. The houses are constructed in common bond. The low-pitched gable roof has a simple, two-tier brick cornice. 7 E. Hamburg St. has a double hooded chimney located along the east side of both the front and rear roof gables.

The first floor door and window openings of 5 E. Hamburg St. have been lowered to street level and the spaces above the present openings filled in with new brickwork. These openings now have new lintels, and have new brick header sills. The window and door openings of 7 E. Hamburg St., and the second floor window openings of 5 E. Hamburg St. have the original splayed brick lintels and wood sills that all of the openings once had. All of the window openings are filled with 1/1 double hung sash. 5 E. Hamburg St. has a horizontally paneled door; 7 E. Hamburg St. has a modern flush door set beneath a three light transom. The houses originally sat on low basements (as 7 E. Hamburg St. still does), the entrances being reached by two stone steps each. A small coal opening is located to the left of the steps at 7 E. Hamburg St.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW				
PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION		
1000-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE		
1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE		
1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN		
1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER		
1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION		
1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)		
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION				

SPECIFIC DATES 1842-1851

BUILDER/ARCHITECT Henry Logemann

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

These houses are significant as being representative of a group of extremely modest two story, gable-roofed houses built in the late 1840's, 1850's, and 1860's to serve as inexpensive housing for the influx of newly arrived immigrant families seeking work in harbor-related activities. Most of these houses were held as rental property and many were located along narrow alley streets, such as nearby Patapsco St. In terms of design the houses are basically the descendants of earlier Federal-style working class housing built in the early decades of the century, but without the usual dormer story of such houses. Because there is no dormer story the roof slope is less steep in these later versions of the style. The houses are quite small, with two rooms on each floor and a centrally located, tightly winding staircase.

The houses were built by Henry Logemann, the proprietor of the Rail Road Hotel at the corner of Light and Pratt Sts., who owned the houses at the corner of Hamburg and Charles St. (1001-1007 S. Charles St.) and built these small houses on the rear portions of those lots (including two similar houses at 1000-1002 Patapsco St. and the house at 9 E. Hamburg St. which is now gone). See also under 1001 S. Charles St.

These houses have recently been bought by an individual who plans to renovate them.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

M.E. Hayward / Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

DATE

Maryland Historical / Struever Bros. & Eccles

STREET & NUMBER

5/79
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CITY OR TOWN

STATE

RuxtonMaryland 21204

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E. HAMBURG

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1001	17	69' 8"	28	15' 1"	29	12' 6"	12' 3"	12' 6"
1003	14	63' 8"	27	34'	34' 3"	35' 6"	31'	32'
1005	14		26		50'	50'	33'	12' 6"
1007	16' 7"		25	120'				100'
1009	26'		24		81'	39'	34'	100'
1011				120'				100'
1013	14'	72' 6"	23		47' 6"	35'		100'
1015	3'	72' 6"	21/22		36'			100'
1017		72' 6"			37'			100'
1019		72' 6"	20		47' 6"			100'
1021	10' 9"		19A	120'	38/39	50' 6"		100'
1023	10' 9"		19					100'
1025	10' 9"		18	120'	40/41	42'		100'
1027	27'		17		40/43	43'		100'
1029	12' 2"		16		50'	44'		100'
1031	14'		15		51'	45'		100'
1033	14'		14			46'		100'
1035	14'		13		51'	47'		100'
1037	13' 3"		12		54' 6"	48'		100'
1039	13' 3"		11			49'		100'
1041	10' 4"		10	120'	50/51	50'		100'
1043	65' 6"		9	120'	51'			100'
1045			8		48'	52'		100'
1047	13'		7		60' 6"	53'		100'
1049			6			54'		100'
1051	19'		5		60' 6"	55'		100'
1053	14'	14'	4	14'				100'
1055	14'	14'	3	14'				100'
1057	14'	14'	2	14'				100'
1059	13' 7"	13' 8"	1	13' 8"	59'	58'	57'	56'
1061	60'	19' 4"		12'	15'	14'	16' 6"	100'

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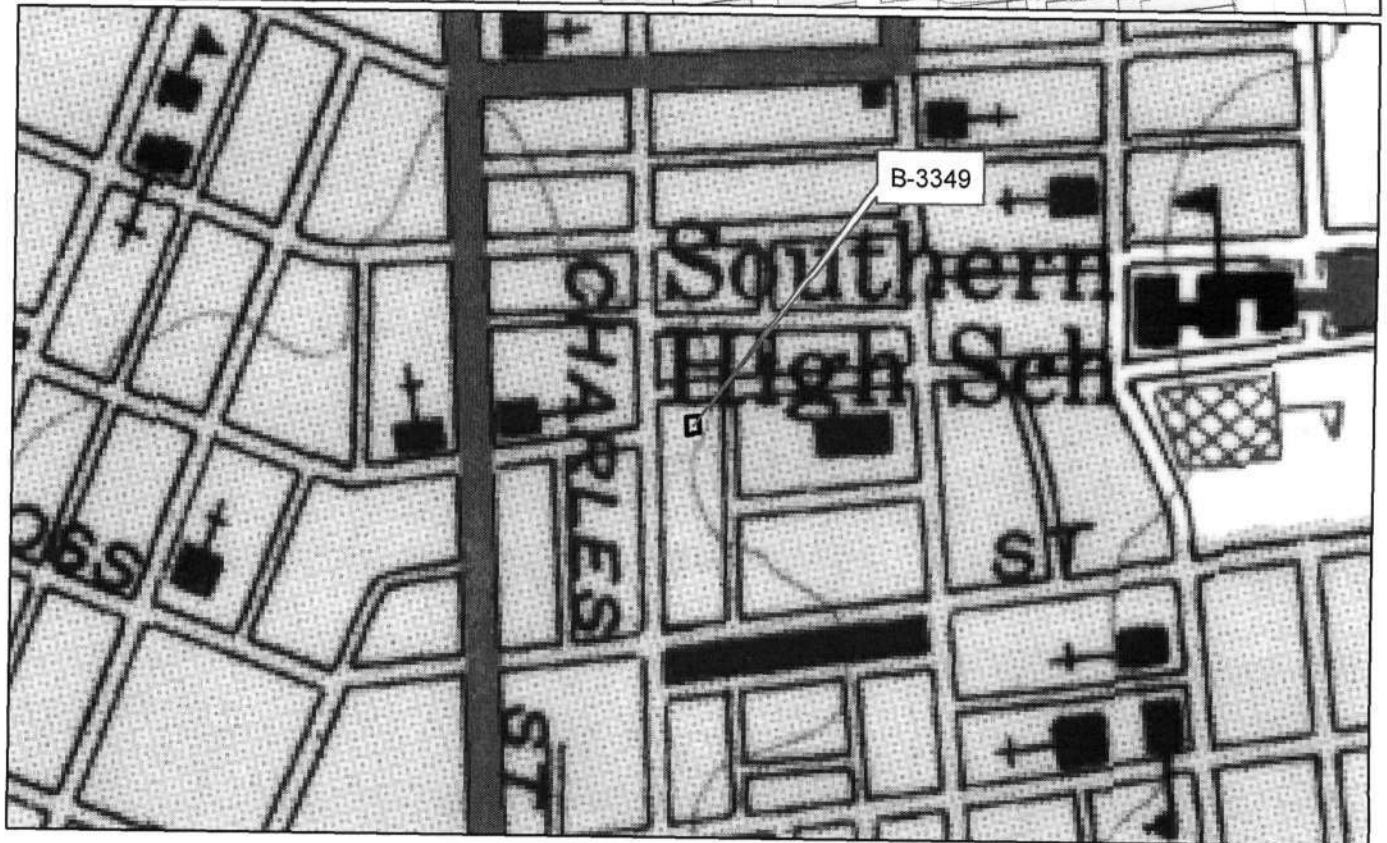
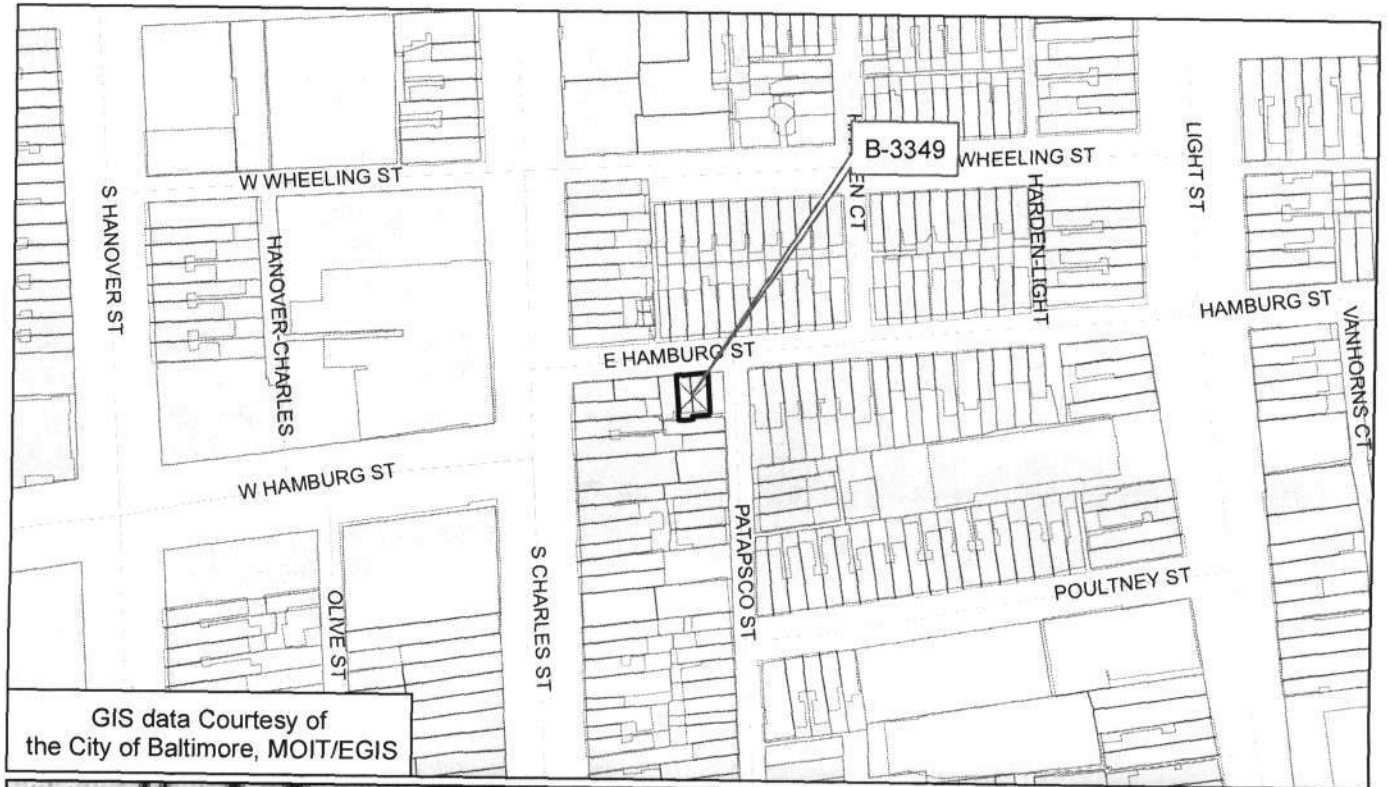
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5-7 E. Hamburg St.

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North elevation